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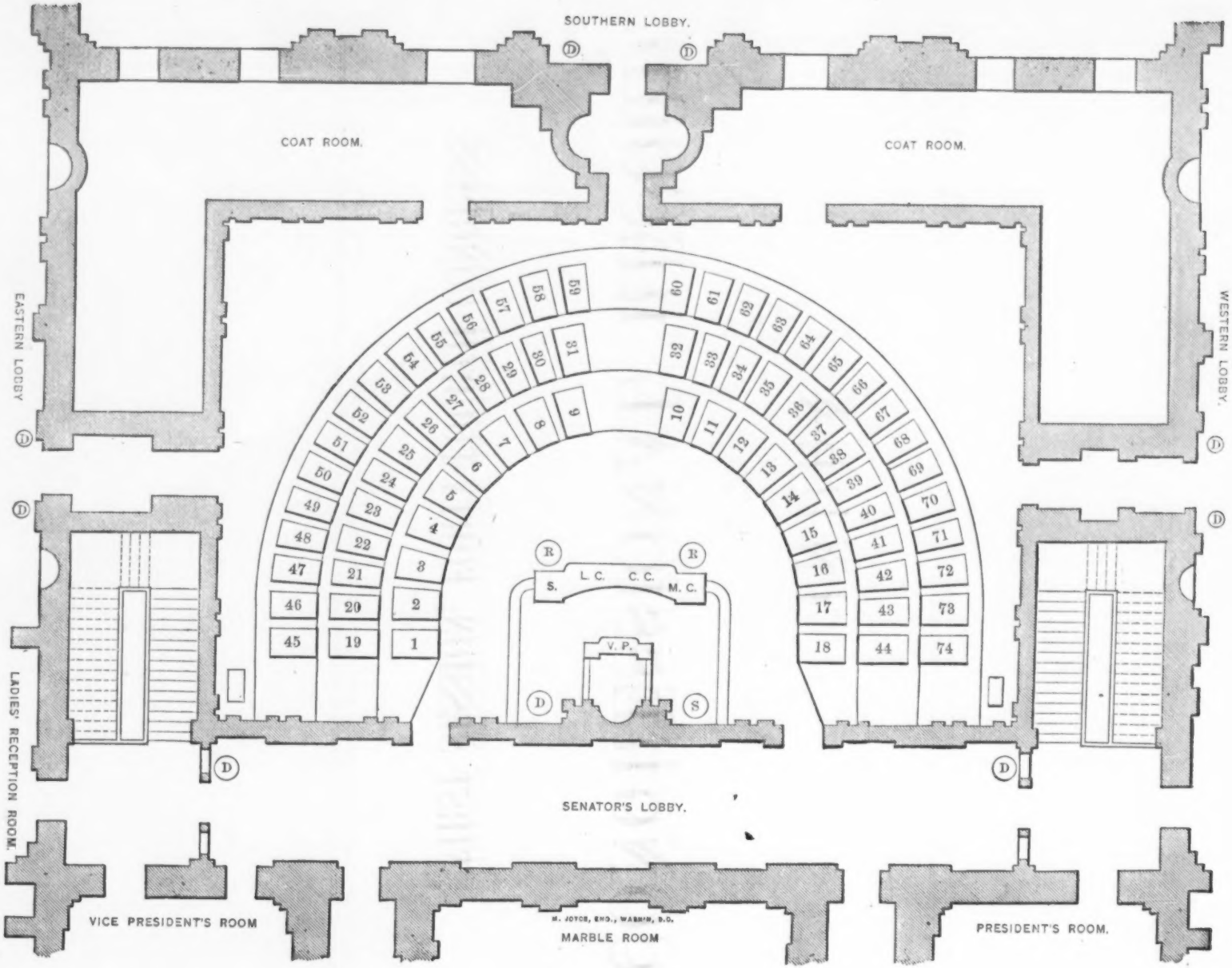
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THOMAS W. FERRY, President *pro tempore* of the Senate, Grand Haven, Michigan.

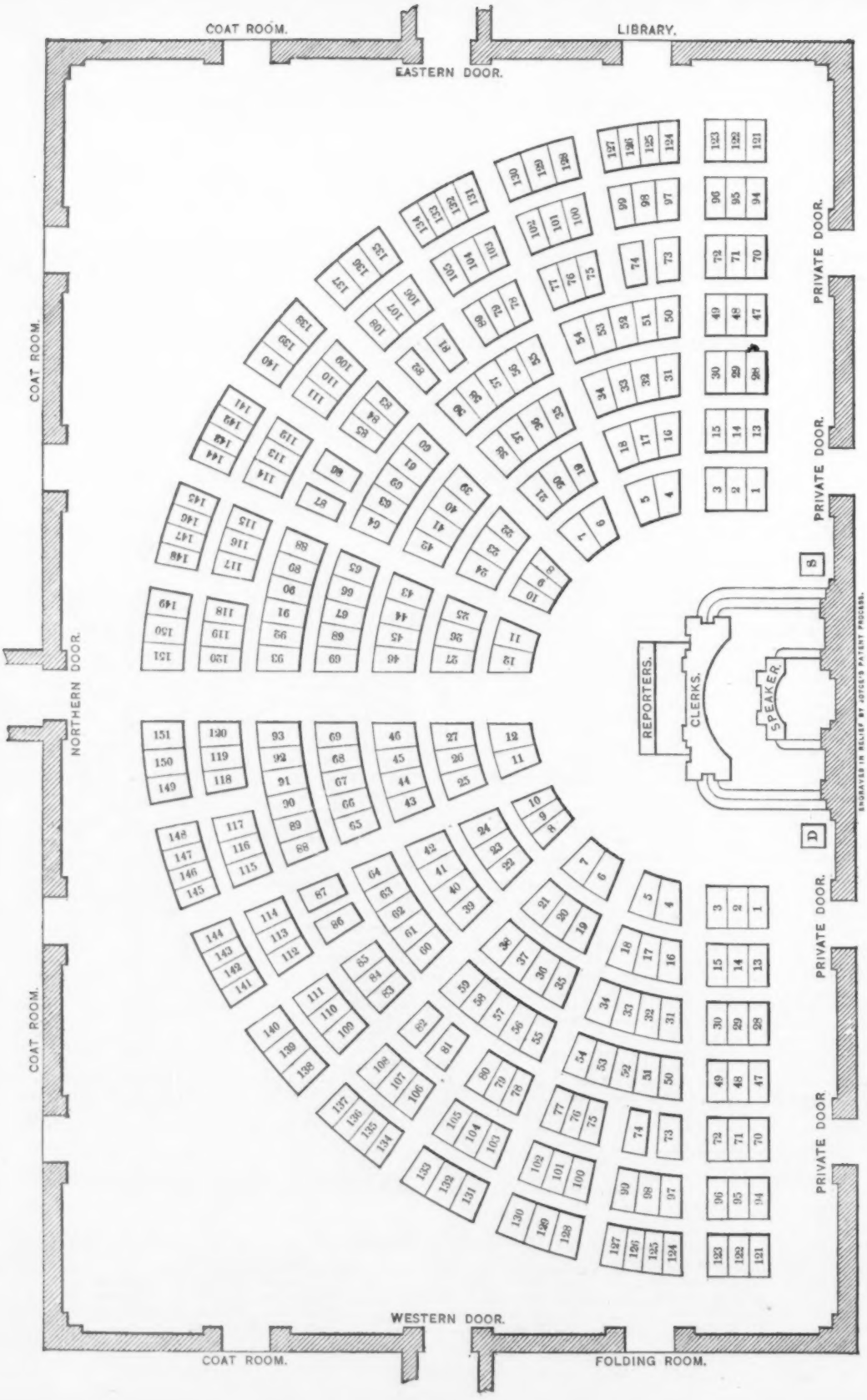
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* Died July 26, 1876.

† Appointed to fill a vacancy. William H. Barnum elected by the Legislature, and took his seat May 22, 1876.
‡ Appointed Secretary of the Treasury, and resigned his position as Senator July 7, 1876.

OFFICERS OF THE SENATE.

George C. Gorham	Secretary	San Francisco, California.
W. J. McDonald	Chief Clerk	Washington, District of Columbia.
John R. French	Sergeant-at-Arms	Washington, District of Columbia.
Isaac Bassett	Assistant Doorkeeper	Washington, District of Columbia.
W. E. Creary	Postmaster	Ferryville, Michigan.


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NAMES AND POST-OFFICE ADDRESSES

OF

MEMBERS OF HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

FIRST SESSION OF THE FORTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

MICHAEL C. KERR, Speaker, New Albany, Indiana.

Name.	Post-office address.	Seat.	Name.	Post-office address.	Seat.
Abbott, Josiah G.	Boston, Massachusetts	127 west.	Cochrane, Alexander G.	Allegheny City, Pennsylvania	33 east.
Adams, Charles H.	Cohoes, New York	132 west.	Collins, Francis D.	Scranton, Pennsylvania	48 east.
Ainsworth, Lucien L.	West Union, Iowa	147 west.	Conger, Omar D.	Port Huron, Michigan	20 west.
Anderson, William B.	Mount Vernon, Illinois	133 east.	Cook, Philip	Americus, Georgia	25 east.
Ashe, Thomas S.	Wadesborough, North Carolina	71 east.	Cowan, Jacob P.	Ashland, Ohio	14 east.
Atkins, John D. C.	Paris, Tennessee	98 east.	Cox, Samuel S.	New York, New York	8 east.
Bagby, John C.	Rushville, Illinois	76 east.	Crapo, William W.	New Bedford, Massachusetts	82 west.
Bagley, George A.	Watertown, New York	106 west.	Crounse, Lorenzo	Fort Calhoun, Nebraska	141 west.
Bagley, John H., jr.	Catskill, New York	125 west.	Culberson, David B.	Jefferson, Texas	141 east.
Baker, John H.	Goshen, Indiana	26 west.	Cutler, Augustus W.	Morristown, New Jersey	47 east.
Baker, William H.	Constantia, New York	54 west.	Danford, Lorenzo	Saint Clairsville, Ohio	140 west.
Ballou, Latimer W.	Woonsocket, Rhode Island	142 west.	Darrall, Chester B.	Brashear, Louisiana	44 west.
Banks, Nathaniel P.	Waltham, Massachusetts	18 west.	Davis, Joseph J.	Louisburgh, North Carolina	57 east.
Banning, Henry B.	Cincinnati, Ohio	13 east.	Davy, John M.	Rochester, New York	99 west.
Barnum, William H.		120 west.	De Bolt, Rezin A.	Trenton, Missouri	61 east.
Bass, Lyman K.	Buffalo, New York	37 west.	Denison, Dudley C.	Royalton, Vermont	126 west.
Beebe, George M.	Monticello, New York	105 east.	Dibrell, George G.	Sparta, Tennessee	103 east.
Bell, Samuel N.	Manchester, New Hampshire	135 east.	Dobbins, Samuel A.	Mount Holly, New Jersey	75 west.
Bennett, Thomas W.*	Boise City, Idaho	93 west.	Douglas, Beverly B.	Aylett's, Virginia	43 east.
Blackburn, Joseph C. S.	Versailles, Kentucky	74 east.	Dunnell, Mark H.	Owatonna, Minnesota	50 west.
Blaine, James G.	Augusta, Maine	60 west.	Durand, George H.	Flint, Michigan	62 east.
Blair, Henry W.	Plymouth, New Hampshire	143 west.	Durham, Milton J.	Danville, Kentucky	31 west.
Bland, Richard P.	Lebanon, Missouri	66 east.	Eames, Benjamin T.	Providence, Rhode Island	88 west.
Bliss, Archibald M.	Brooklyn, New York	45 west.	Eden, John R.	Sullivan, Illinois	84 east.
Blount, James H.	Macon, Georgia	10 east.	Egbert, Albert G.	Franklin, Pennsylvania	89 east.
Boone, Andrew R.	Mayfield, Kentucky	99 east.	Elkins, Stephen B.	Santa Fé, New Mexico	91 west.
Bradford, Taul.	Talladega, Alabama	112 east.	Ellis, E. John	New Orleans, Louisiana	95 east.
Bradley, Nathan B.	Bay City, Michigan	32 west.	Ely, Smith, jr.	New York, New York	27 west.
Bright, John M.	Fayetteville, Tennessee	7 east.	Evans, James L.	Noblesville, Indiana	128 west.
Brown, John Young.	Henderson, Kentucky	59 east.	Farwell, Charles B.†	Chicago, Illinois	114 west.
Brown, William R.	Hutchinson, Kansas	89 west.	Faulkner, Charles J.	Martinsburgh, West Virginia	81 east.
Buckner, Aylett H.	Saint Charles, Missouri	147 east.	Felton, William H.	Cartersville, Georgia	129 east.
Burchard, Horatio C.	Freeport, Illinois	90 west.	Fenn, Stephen S.	Mount Idaho, Idaho	94 west.
Burchard, Samuel D.	Beaver Dam, Wisconsin	136 east.	Finley, Jesse J.	Jacksonville, Florida	129 west.
Burleigh, John H.	South Berwick, Maine	131 west.	Forney, William H.	Jacksonville, Alabama	138 east.
Cabell, George C.	Danville, Virginia	39 east.	Fort, Greenbury L.	Lacon, Illinois	10 west.
Caldwell, John H.	Jacksonville, Alabama	86 east.	Foster, Charles	Fostoria, Ohio	149 west.
Caldwell, William P.	Gardner, Tennessee	4 east.	Franklin, Benjamin J.	Kansas City, Missouri	112 east.
Campbell, Alexander	La Salle, Illinois	145 west.	Freeman, Chapman	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	81 west.
Candler, Milton A.	Atlanta, Georgia	26 east.	Frost, Rufus S.‡	Chelsea, Massachusetts	108 west.
Cannon, Joseph G.	Tuscola, Illinois	114 west.	Frye, William P.	Lewiston, Maine	22 west.
Cannon, George Q.	Salt Lake City, Utah	119 west.	Fuller, Benoni S.	Booneville, Indiana	148 east.
Cason, Thomas J.	Lebanon, Indiana	92 west.	Garfield, James A.	Hiram, Ohio	66 west.
Caswell, Lucien B.	Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin	134 west.	Gause, Lucien C.	Jacksonport, Arkansas	41 east.
Cate, George W.	Amherst, Wisconsin	80 east.	Gibson, Randall L.	New Orleans, Louisiana	96 east.
Caulfield, Bernard G.	Chicago, Illinois	137 east.	Glover, John M.	La Grange, Missouri	37 east.
Chapin, Chester W.	Springfield, Massachusetts	21 east.	Goode, John, jr.	Norfolk, Virginia	140 east.
Chittenden, Simeon B.	Brooklyn, New York	12 west.	Goodin, John R.	Humboldt, Kansas	69 west.
Clarke, John B.	Augusta, Kentucky	110 east.	Gunter, Thomas M.	Fayetteville, Arkansas	42 east.
Clark, John B., jr.	Fayette, Missouri	19 east.	Hale, Eugene	Ellsworth, Maine	41 west.
Clymer, Hiester.	Reading, Pennsylvania	6 east.	Hamilton, Andrew H.	Fort Wayne, Indiana	36 east.

*Seat contested and awarded to Stephen S. Fenn. †Seat contested and awarded to J. B. Le Moyne. ‡Seat contested and awarded to Josiah G. Abbott.

Names, post-office addresses, and seats of members of the House of Representatives.

Name.	Post-office address.	Seat.
Hamilton, Robert	Newton, New Jersey	117 east.
Hancock, John	Austin, Texas	40 west.
Haralson, Jere	Selma, Alabama	117 west.
Hardenbergh, Augustus A.	Jersey City, New Jersey	151 east.
Harris, Benjamin W	East Bridgewater, Massachusetts.	51 west.
Harris, Henry R	Greenville, Georgia	121 west.
Harris, John T	Harrisonburgh, Virginia	45 east.
Harrison, Carter H	Chicago, Illinois	23 east.
Hartridge, Julian	Savannah, Georgia	24 east.
Hartzell, William	Chester, Illinois	146 east.
Hatcher, Robert A	New Madrid, Missouri	67 east.
Hathorn, Henry H	Saratoga Springs, New York	52 west.
Haymond, William S	Monticello, Indiana	150 west.
Hays, Charles	Haysville, Alabama	139 west.
Hendee, George W	Morrisville, Vermont	8 west.
Henderson, Thomas J	Princeton, Illinois	85 west.
Henkle, Eli J	Brooklyn, Maryland	68 east.
Hereford, Frank	Union, West Virginia	108 east.
Hewitt, Abram S	New York, New York	3 east.
Hewitt, Goldsmith W	Birmingham, Alabama	113 east.
Hill, Benjamin H	Atlanta, Georgia	130 east.
Hoar, George F	Worcester, Massachusetts	43 west.
Hoge, Solomon L	Columbia, South Carolina	137 west.
Holman, William S	Aurora, Indiana	9 east.
Hooker, Charles E	Jackson, Mississippi	90 east.
Hopkins, James H	Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	128 east.
Hoskins, George G	Attica, New York	84 west.
House, John F	Clarksville, Tennessee	72 east.
Hubbell, Jay A	Houghton, Michigan	60 west.
Hunter, Morton C	Bloomington, Indiana	62 west.
Hunton, Eppa	Warrenton, Virginia	29 east.
Hurd, Frank H	Toledo, Ohio	102 east.
Hurlbut, Stephen A	Belvidere, Illinois	87 west.
Hyman, John A	Warrenton, North Carolina	72 west.
Jacobs, Orange	Seattle, Washington Territory	103 west.
Jenks, George A	Brookville, Pennsylvania	17 east.
Jones, Frank	Portsmouth, New Hampshire	83 east.
Jones, Thomas L	Newport, Kentucky	109 east.
Joyce, Charles H	Rutland, Vermont	86 west.
Kasson, John A	Des Moines, Iowa	115 west.
Kehr, Edward C	Saint Louis, Missouri	120 east.
Kelley, William D	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	42 west.
Ketcham, Winthrop W	Wilkesbarre, Pennsylvania	78 west.
Kidder, Jefferson P	Vermillion, Dakota Territory	142 east.
Kimball, Alanson M	Pine River, Wisconsin	38 west.
King, William S	Minneapolis, Minnesota	56 west.
Knott, J. Proctor	Lebanon, Kentucky	18 east.
Lamar, Lucius Q. C	Oxford, Mississippi	17 west.
Landers, Franklin	Indianapolis, Indiana	47 west.
Landers, George M	New Britain, Connecticut	120 west.
Lane, Lafayette	Roseburgh, Oregon	2 west.
Lapham, Elbridge G	Canandaigua, New York	77 west.
Lawrence, William	Bellefontaine, Ohio	68 west.
Leavenworth, Elias W	Syracuse, New York	36 west.
Le Moyne, J. V	Chicago, Illinois	108 west.
Levy, William M	Natchitoches, Louisiana	107 east.
Lewis, Burwell B	Tuscaloosa, Alabama	139 east.
Lord, Scott	Utica, New York	94 east.
Luttrell, John K	Santa Rosa, California	3 west.
Lynch, John R	Natchez, Mississippi	34 west.
Lynde, William P	Milwaukee, Wisconsin	146 west.
Mackey, L. A	Lockhaven, Pennsylvania	13 west.
Mackey, E. W. M.*	Charleston, South Carolina	47 west.
Maginnis, Martin	Helena, Montana	93 east.
Magoon, Henry S	Darlington, Wisconsin	39 west.
Maish, Levi	York, Pennsylvania	111 east.
MacDougall, Clinton D	Auburn, New York	29 west.
McCrary, George W	Keokuk, Iowa	101 west.
McDill, James W	Afton, Iowa	21 west.
McFarland, William	Morristown, Tennessee	55 east.
McMahon, John A	Dayton, Ohio	51 east.
Meade, Edwin R	New York, New York	106 east.
Metcalfe, Henry B	Richmond, New York	54 east.
Miller, Samuel F	Franklin, New York	107 west.
Milliken, Charles W	Franklin, Kentucky	11 east.
Mills, Roger Q	Corsicana, Texas	104 east.
Money, Hernando D	Winona, Mississippi	125 east.
Monroe, James	Oberlin, Ohio	24 west.
Morey, Frank†	Monroe, Louisiana	113 west.
Morgan, Charles H	Lamar, Missouri	74 west.
Morrison, William R	Waterloo, Illinois	38 east.
Mutchler, William	Easton, Pennsylvania	85 east.
Nash, Charles E	Washington, Louisiana	135 west.
Neal, Lawrence T	Chillicothe, Ohio	14 west.
New, Jeptha D	Vernon, Indiana	75 east.
Norton, Nelson I	Hinsdale, New York	109 west.
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Odell, N. Holmes	White Plains, New York	1 east.
Oliver, Addison	Onawa, Iowa	59 west.
O'Neill, Charles	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	112 west.
Packer, John B	Sunbury, Pennsylvania	78 west.
Page, Horace F	Placerville, California	7 west.
Parsons, Edward Y.‡	Louisville, Kentucky	145 east.
Patterson, Thomas M	Denver, Colorado	143 east.
Payne, Henry B	Cleveland, Ohio	148 west.
Phelps, James	Essex, Connecticut	124 east.
Philips, John F	Sedalia, Missouri	20 east.
Phillips, William A	Salina, Kansas	110 west.
Pierce, Henry L	Boston, Massachusetts	151 west.
Piper, William A	San Francisco, California	6 west.
Plaisted, Harris M	Bangor, Maine	63 west.
Platt, Thomas C	Owego, New York	53 west.
Poppleton, Earley F	Delaware, Ohio	52 east.
Potter, Allen	Kalamazoo, Michigan	25 west.
Powell, Joseph	Towanda, Pennsylvania	44 east.
Pratt, Henry O	Charles City, Iowa	30 west.
Purman, William J	Tallahassee, Florida	98 west.
Rainey, Joseph H	Georgetown, South Carolina	76 west.
Randall, Samuel J	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	22 east.
Rea, David	Savannah, Missouri	115 east.
Reagan, John H	Palestine, Texas	119 east.
Reilly, John	Altoona, Pennsylvania	144 east.
Reilly, James B	Pottsville, Pennsylvania	56 east.
Rice, Americus V	Ottawa, Ohio	126 east.
Riddle, Haywood Y	Lebanon, Tennessee	123 west.
Robbins, John	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	149 east.
Robbins, William M	Statesville, North Carolina	34 east.
Roberts, Charles B	Westminster, Maryland	70 east.
Robinson, Milton S	Anderson, Indiana	100 west.
Ross, Miles	New Brunswick, New Jersey	123 east.
Ross, Sobieski	Cowdersport, Pennsylvania	23 west.
Rusk, Jeremiah M	Viroqua, Wisconsin	102 west.
Sampson, Ezekiel S	Sigourney, Iowa	19 west.
Savage, John S	Wilmington, Ohio	132 east.
Sayler, Milton	Cincinnati, Ohio	127 east.
Scales, Alfred M	Greensborough, North Carolina	73 east.
Schleicher, Gustave	Cuero, Texas	114 east.
Schumaker, John G	Brooklyn, New York	2 east.
Seelye, Julius H	Amherst, Massachusetts	64 west.
Sheakley, James	West Greenville, Pennsylvania	64 east.
Singleton, Otho R	Canton, Mississippi	91 east.
Sinnickson, Clement H	Salem, New Jersey	130 west.
Slemons, William F	Monticello, Arkansas	30 east.
Smalls, Robert	Beaufort, South Carolina	97 west.
Smith, A. Herr	Lancaster, Pennsylvania	133 west.
Smith, William E	Albany, Georgia	11 west.
Southard, Milton I	Zanesville, Ohio	63 east.
Sparks, William A. J	Carlyle, Illinois	78 east.
Spencer, William B	Vidalia, Louisiana	145 east.
Springer, William M	Springfield, Illinois	87 east.
Starkweather, Henry H.§	Norwich, Connecticut	40 west.
Steele, William R	Cheyenne, Wyoming	92 east.
Stenger, William S	Chambersburgh, Pennsylvania	49 east.
Stephens, Alexander H	Crawfordsville, Georgia	87 east.
Stevenson Adlai E	Bloomington, Illinois	9 west.
Stevens, Hiram S	Tucson, Arizona	28 west.
Stone, William H	Saint Louis, Missouri	49 west.
Stowell, William H. H	Burkeville, Virginia	67 west.
Strait, Horace B	Shakopee, Minnesota	55 west.
Swann, Thomas	Baltimore, Maryland	31 east.
Tarbox, John K	Lawrence, Massachusetts	131 east.
Teese, Frederick H	Newark, New Jersey	116 east.
Terry, William	Wytheville, Virginia	58 east
Thompson, Charles P	Gloucester, Massachusetts	16 east.
Thomas, Philip F	Easton, Maryland	69 east.
Thornburgh, Jacob M	Knoxville, Tennessee	79 west.
Throckmorton, James W	McKinney, Texas	88 east.
Townsend, Martin I	Troy, New York	61 west.
Townsend, Washington	Westchester, Pennsylvania	116 west.
Tucker, John R	Lexington, Virginia	100 east.
Tufts, John Q	Wilton Junction, Iowa	58 west.
Turney, Jacob	Greensburgh, Pennsylvania	50 east.

*Seat contested and declared vacant. †Seat contested and awarded to William B. Spencer. ‡Died July 8, 1876. §Died January 29, 1876.

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Name.	Post-office address.	Seat.	Name.	Post-office address.	Seat.
Van Vorhes, Nelson H	Athens, Ohio	105 west.	Whitthorne, Washington C.	Columbia, Tennessee	79 east.
Vance, John L	Gallipolis, Ohio	101 east.	Wigginton, Peter D	Merced, California	4 west.
Vance, Robert B	Asheville, North Carolina	5 east.	Wike, Scott	Pittsfield, Illinois	77 east.
Waddell, Alfred M	Wilmington, North Carolina	35 east.	Willard, George	Battle Creek, Michigan	111 west.
Wait, John T	Norwich, Connecticut	118 west.	Williams, Alpheus S	Detroit, Michigan	53 east.
Waldron, Henry	Hillsdale, Michigan	35 west.	Williams, Andrew	Plattsburgh, New York	57 west.
Walker, Charles C. B	Corning, New York	134 east.	Williams, Charles G	Janesville, Wisconsin	83 west.
Walker, Gilbert C	Richmond, Virginia	82 east.	Williams, James	Kenton, Delaware	40 east.
Wallace, Alexander S	Yorkville, South Carolina	5 west.	Williams, James D	Wheatland, Indiana	118 east.
Wallace, John W	New Castle, Pennsylvania	144 west.	Williams, Jere. N	Clayton, Alabama	15 east.
Walling, Ansel T	Circleville, Ohio	122 east.	Williams, William B	Allegan, Michigan	33 west.
Walls, Josiah T.*	Gainesville, Florida	33 west.	Willis, Benjamin A	New York, New York	12 east.
Walsh, William	Cumberland, Maryland	32 east.	Wilshire, William W	Little Rock, Arkansas	124 west.
Ward, Elijah	New York, New York	27 east.	Wilson, Benjamin	Wilsonburgh, West Virginia	150 east.
Warren, William W	Boston, Massachusetts	28 east.	Wilson, James	Buckingham, Iowa	15 west.
Watterson, Henry	Louisville, Kentucky	118 east.	Wood, Alan, jr	Conshohocken, Pennsylvania	113 west.
Wells, Erastus	Saint Louis, Missouri	46 east.	Wood, Fernando	New York, New York	65 east
Wells, G. Wiley	Holly Springs, Mississippi	96 west.	Woodburn, William	Virginia City, Nevada	73 west.
Wheeler, William A	Malone, New York	65 west.	Woodworth, Laurin D	Youngstown, Ohio	1 west.
White, John D	Manchester, Kentucky	104 west.	Yeates, Jesse J	Murfreesborough, N. Carolina	60 east.
Whitehouse, John O	Poughkeepsie, New York	46 west.	Young, Casey	Memphis, Tennessee	97 east.
Whiting, Richard H	Peoria, Illinois	80 west.			

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Introduced by Mr. Wallace, of Pennsylvania 1935
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S. No. 648—
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Introduced by Mr. Edmunds, of Vermont 1967
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Introduced by Mr. Clayton, of Arkansas 1967
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Introduced by Mr. Clayton, of Arkansas 1967
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Introduced by Mr. Clayton, of Arkansas 1967
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Introduced by Mr. Dawes, of Massachusetts 1968
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S. No. 662—
To provide for the survey of the McKenzie River, Oregon.
Introduced by Mr. Mitchell, of Oregon 1999
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S. No. 663—
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Introduced by Mr. Wright, of Iowa 1999
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S. No. 664—
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Introduced by Mr. Morrill, of Maine 1999
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S. No. 665—
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Introduced by Mr. Hamilton, of Texas 1999
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs 1999

S. No. 666—
To authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to make certain allowances to collectors in certain cases.
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H. R. No. 1695—
To cancel a judgment against Lewis D. Campbell, of Ohio.
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H. R. No. 1697—
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H. R. No. 1699—
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Introduced by Mr. Jones, of Kentucky 772
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H. R. No. 1700—
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Introduced by Mr. House, of Tennessee 772
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H. R. No. 1701—
To pension the soldiers of the Seminole war.
Introduced by Mr. Atkins, of Tennessee 772
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H. R. No. 1702—
For the relief of James White and William White, of Hawkins County, Tennessee.
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For the relief of Hardin Skaggs, of Maynardville, Tennessee, for supplies furnished the Federal Army during the late rebellion.
Introduced by Mr. Thornburgh, of Tennessee 772
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For the relief of John G. Campbell, of Clinton, Indiana.
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Introduced by Mr. Morrison, of Illinois 773
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Introduced by Mr. Henderson, of Illinois 773
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H. R. No. 1715—
To authorize the assignees of the State of Illinois to select and enter public lands to which said State is entitled under all the provisions of the several acts of Congress.
Introduced by Mr. Cannon, of Illinois 773
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H. R. No. 1716—
For the relief of John Scott, of Tuscola, Douglas County, Illinois, late a captain in the Twenty-fifth Illinois Infantry.
Introduced by Mr. Cannon, of Illinois 773
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H. R. No. 1717—
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Introduced by Mr. Fort, of Illinois 773
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Introduced by Mr. Morgan, of Missouri 773
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Introduced by Mr. Wells, of Missouri 773
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Introduced by Mr. Philips, of Missouri 773
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Introduced by Mr. Franklin, of Missouri 774
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Introduced by Mr. Gause, of Arkansas 774
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Introduced by Mr. Tucker, of Virginia 900
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Introduced by Mr. Hale, of Maine 914
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H. R. No. 1818—
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Introduced by Mr. Hale, of Maine 914
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To erect a light-house on the Nubble, Cape Meddick, in York, York County, Maine.
Introduced by Mr. Burleigh, of Maine 914
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Introduced by Mr. Barnum, of Connecticut 914
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H. R. No. 1828—
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Introduced by Mr. Wood, of New York 914
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Introduced by Mr. Wood, of New York 914
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Introduced by Mr. Beebe, of New York 914
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To provide for reclaiming and improving the swamp and overflowed lands connected with the United States navy-yard, Brooklyn, Long Island.
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Introduced by Mr. Willis, of New York 914
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For the relief of Lewis E. Winans, late a private in Company C, Fourth New York Heavy Artillery.
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To amend section 22 of the bankrupt act, approved March 2, 1867.
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To amend an act entitled "An act to revise, consolidate, and amend the statutes relating to patents and copyrights."
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For the relief of George W. Gill and Daniel Able.
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To re-organize the property and money department of the Army, and for purposes connected therewith.
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Granting a pension to Ovid H. Clark, late a private in Company F, Fifth Regiment Vermont Volunteer Infantry.
Introduced by Mr. Joyce, of Vermont ... 1811
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To give an American register to the ship Ocean Express, owned by Charles R. Flint, of New York.
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Granting a pension to Hugh McGovern.
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For the relief of Nicholas Bush, of Redwood, New York.
Introduced by Mr. G. A. Bagley, of New York ... 1812
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H. R. No. 2720—
Granting a pension to Mary F. McKeever, widow of the late Commodore Isaac McKeever, United States Navy.
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Introduced by Mr. Stenger, of Pennsylvania ... 1812
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Granting a pension to Anna M. Clippinger.
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To regulate commerce and prohibit unjust discriminations by common carriers.
Introduced by Mr. Hopkins, of Pennsylvania ... 1812
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To compensate Mrs. Nancy G. Miller for use of and damage done her property by a portion of United States Army.
Introduced by Mr. Hopkins, of Pennsylvania ... 1812
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ... 1812
H. R. No. 2727—
Granting a pension to Jacob G. Evans, of Crawford County, Pennsylvania.
Introduced by Mr. Sheakley, of Pennsylvania ... 1812
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ... 1812
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Introduced by Mr. Sheakley, of Pennsylvania ... 1812
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Introduced by Mr. Townsend, of Pennsylvania ... 1812
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Introduced by Mr. Townsend, of Pennsylvania ... 1812
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To make just compensation to William Wheeler Hubbell for the past making or use or vending of his patent explosive shell fuses and percussion exploders by the United States.
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Introduced by Mr. Tucker, of Virginia ... 1812
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For the relief of Albert Millspaugh.
Introduced by Mr. Walker, of Virginia ... 1812
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Granting a pension to Catherine Harris.
Introduced by Mr. Walker, of Virginia ... 1812
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ... 1812
H. R. No. 2735—
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Introduced by Mr. Walker, of Virginia ... 1812
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To reduce the taxes on manufactured tobacco, and to regulate the taxes upon dealers in and producers of leaf-tobacco.
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Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ... 1812
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For the relief of Thomas Oxley, sr., a soldier in the war of 1812.
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To authorize the payment of certain fees to clerks of the United States courts.
Introduced by Mr. Vance, of North Carolina ... 1812
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Granting a pension to Cynthia A. Mizelle.
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For the relief of Moses W. Alexander.
Introduced by Mr. Ashe, of North Carolina ... 1812
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Introduced by Mr. Cook, of Georgia ... 1812
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For the relief of persons who have entered lands under the homestead laws.
Introduced by Mr. Caldwell, of Alabama ... 1812
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For the relief of Mrs. Mary H. Walker, widow of Colonel Thomas F. Hunt, late of the United States Army.
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To repeal section 191 of the Revised Statutes, which provides that certified balances of the Commissioner of Customs and Comptrollers of the Treasury shall not be revised or changed by the heads of Departments.
Introduced by Mr. Banning, of Ohio ... 1813
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Introduced by Mr. Payne, of Ohio ... 1813
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For the relief of Newcom Thompson, of Bedford County, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Bright, of Tennessee ... 1813
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Introduced by Mr. Bright, of Tennessee ... 1813
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Introduced by Mr. Riddle, of Tennessee ... 1813
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Introduced by Mr. Riddle, of Tennessee ... 1813
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Introduced by Mr. McFarland, of Tennessee ... 1813
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Introduced by Mr. McFarland, of Tennessee ... 1813
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ... 1813
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Introduced by Mr. McFarland, of Tennessee ... 1813
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Introduced by Mr. McFarland, of Tennessee ... 1813
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Granting a pension to Newton B. Adams, of Indianapolis, Indiana, from the date of his discharge on July 10, 1865, until June 29, 1874.
Introduced by Mr. Landers, of Indiana ... 1813
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Introduced by Mr. Fort, of Illinois ... 1813
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Introduced by Mr. Bagby, of Illinois 1813
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions 1813
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H. R. No. 2769—
Granting a pension to William Reynolds, late a member of Company H, Forty-first Regiment Enrolled Missouri Militia.
Introduced by Mr. Rea, of Missouri 1813
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions 1813
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To amend section 101 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Morrison, of Illinois 1813
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary 1813

H. R. No. 2771—
For the relief Mrs. Anna E. Polk, of Missouri.
Introduced by Mr. Franklin, of Missouri 1813
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H. R. No. 2772—
For the relief of Byron S. Morris.
Introduced by Mr. Gunter, of Arkansas 1813
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions 1813

H. R. No. 2773—
Subjecting the Fort Wayne military reservation, in the State of Arkansas, to entry as other public lands in said State.
Introduced by Mr. Gunter, of Arkansas 1813
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands 1813

H. R. No. 2774—
Granting a pension to Edward F. Eddy.
Introduced by Mr. Durand, of Michigan 1813
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions 1813

H. R. No. 2775—
Granting a pension to Barbara Stephens.
Introduced by Mr. Sampson, of Iowa 1813
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions 1813

H. R. No. 2776—
To equalize promotions among the lieutenants in the line of the Army.
Introduced by Mr. Tufts, of Iowa 1813
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs 1813

H. R. No. 2777—
To encourage and promote the holding of the public debt by citizens of the United States, and to secure without contraction return to a specie basis.
Introduced by Mr. Burchard, of Wisconsin 1813
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H. R. No. 2778—
Relating to the equitable and legal rights of parties in possession of certain lands and improvements thereon in California, and to provide jurisdiction to determine those rights.
Introduced by Mr. Piper, of California 1814
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary 1814

H. R. No. 2779—
Providing for the sale of the Osage Indian reservation in Kansas.
Introduced by Mr. Brown, of Kansas 1814
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs 1814

H. R. No. 2780—
For the relief of S. A. Shepherd.
Introduced by Mr. Goodin, of Kansas 1814
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs 1814
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H. R. No. 2781—
For the relief of the trustees of Malta Lodge, Charlestown, Jefferson County, West Virginia.
Introduced by Mr. Faulkner, of West Virginia 1814
Referred to the Committee on War Claims 1814

H. R. No. 2782—
For the relief of John Van Cott and Samuel Malin, of the Territory of Utah.
Introduced by Mr. Cannon, of Utah 1814
Referred to the Committee of Claims 1814

H. R. No. 2783—
Granting permission to construct and use a wagon-road through the Ute Indian reservation in the Territory of Colorado.
Introduced by Mr. Patterson, of Colorado 1814
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs 1814

H. R. No. 2784—
To amend section 2304 of the Revised Statutes, so as to enlarge the rights of soldiers and seamen thereunder.
Introduced by Mr. Patterson, of Colorado 1814
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H. R. No. 2785—
To amend chapter 4, title 32, of Revised Statutes, entitled "preemptions," and to prevent frauds in entry of public lands.
Introduced by Mr. Patterson, of Colorado 1814
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands 1814

H. R. No. 2786—
For relief of the heirs of John S. Fillmore, of Denver, Colorado.
Introduced by Mr. Patterson, of Colorado 1814
Referred to the Committee on Commerce 1814
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H. R. No. 2787—
For the relief of Alfred H. Pfeiffer, of Colorado Territory.
Introduced by Mr. Patterson, of Colorado 1814
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs 1814
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H. R. No. 2788—
For the relief of certain settlers on the Camp Lowell military reservation, Territory of Arizona.
Introduced by Mr. Stevens, of Arizona 1815
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs 1815
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H. R. No. 2789—
For the relief of Charles A. Luke.
Introduced by Mr. Stevens, of Arizona 1815
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs 1815

H. R. No. 2790—
Making an appropriation for the purchase of a law library for the use of the courts and United States officers in Idaho.
Introduced by Mr. Bennett, of Idaho 1815
Referred to the Committee on the Territories 1815

H. R. No. 2791—
For the relief of Charles L. Dahler.
Introduced by Mr. Maginnis, of Montana 1815
Referred to the Committee of Claims 1815

H. R. No. 2792—
To guarantee to the people of the several Territories a republican form of government and to secure them in the right of local self-government.
Introduced by Mr. Steele, of Wyoming 1815
Referred to the Committee on the Territories 1815

H. R. No. 2793—
For the relief of Alden Rose, of the city of New York.
Introduced by Mr. Ward, of New York 1815
Referred to the Committee of Claims 1815
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H. R. No. 2794—
To repeal section 2261 of the Revised Statutes, relating to preemption rights.
Introduced by Mr. Kidder, of Dakota 1815
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands 1815

H. R. No. 2795—
For an appropriation to repair the military bridge over the Big Sioux River near Sioux City, in the State of Iowa.
Introduced by Mr. Kidder, of Dakota 1815
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs 1815

H. R. No. 2796—
For the relief of Colonel Thomas S. Readen.
Introduced by Mr. Hartzell, of Illinois 1815
Referred to the Committee of Claims 1815

H. R. No. 2797—
Granting to the Yosemite Turnpike-Road Company right of way through the public lands for a wagon-road.
Introduced by Mr. Page, of California 1843
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands 1843

H. R. No. 2798—
To authorize the Washington, Cincinnati and Saint Louis Railroad Company to construct a narrow-gauge railway from tide-water to the cities of Saint Louis and Chicago.
Reported by Mr. Jones, of Kentucky, from the Committee on Railways and Canals, as a substitute for House bill No. 181, and recommitted 1843
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H. R. No. 2799—
To amend certain sections of titles 48 and 52, regulation of commerce and navigation and regulation of steam-vessels, Revised Statutes of the United States, pages 800 and 857.
Reported by Mr. Reagan, of Texas, from the Committee on Commerce, as a substitute for House bill No. 1190, and recommitted 1843
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To enable the Secretary of the Treasury to pay judgments provided for in an act approved February 15, 1875, entitled "An act providing for the payment of judgments rendered under section 11, chapter 459, of the laws of the first session of the Forty-third Congress."
Introduced by Mr. Frye, of Maine 1848
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means 1848
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H. R. No. 2801—
To provide for the payment of bounties, &c., to colored soldiers and sailors and their heirs.
Introduced by Mr. Wells, of Mississippi 1870
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions 1870

H. R. No. 2802—
To prohibit contracts for servile labor.
Introduced by Mr. Luttrell, of California 1884
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary 1884

H. R. No. 2803—
To provide that all pensions on account of death, wounds received, or disease contracted in the service of the United States since March 4, 1861, which have been granted or which shall hereafter be granted upon applications filed previous to January 1, 1880, shall commence from the date of death or discharge, and for payment for arrears of pensions.
Reported by Mr. Rice, of Ohio, from the Committee on Invalid Pensions, as a substitute for House bills Nos. 316, 394, 463, and 1162 1884
Considered by the House 5054, 5084

H. R. No. 2804—
Granting a pension to Harriet C. Dunham, widow of Charles A. Dunham, late private in Company A, One hundred and eighteenth Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Rusk, of Wisconsin 1885
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions 1885
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H. R. No. 2805—
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Introduced by Mr. McFarland, of Tennessee 1885
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions 1885
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H. R. No. 2806—
For the relief of Barbara Chenowith.
Introduced by Mr. Roberts, of Maryland 1885
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means 1885

H. R. No. 2807—
For the relief of Richard H. Foutes.
Introduced by Mr. Woodworth, of Ohio 1885
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs 1885
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H. R. No. 2808—
For the relief of James S. Leath, of Memphis, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee 1885
Referred to the Committee on War Claims 1885

H. R. No. 2809—
For the relief of La Grange Synodical College, of La Grange, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee 1885
Referred to the Committee of Claims 1885

H. R. No. 2810—
For the relief of Mrs. Kate L. Roy, widow of Lieutenant-Colonel James P. Roy.
Introduced by Mr. Douglas, of Virginia 1885
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions 1885
Reported back with a bill (H. R. No. 3277) as a substitute 2833

H. R. No. 2811—
To remove the political disabilities of C. A. Williamson, of New York.
Introduced by Mr. Goode, of Virginia 1885
Passed by the House 1885
Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary 1929

H. R. No. 2812—
To amend an act supplementary to the acts in relation to immigration.
Introduced by Mr. Piper, of California 1885
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary 1885
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Introduced by Mr. Goodin, of Kansas 1884
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs 1884
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H. R. No. 2814—
To authorize the Third Auditor of the Treasury to examine the evidence of payments made by the State of Missouri to State troops serving in the Union Army.
Introduced by Mr. Wells, of Missouri 1911
Referred to the Committee on War Claims 1911

H. R. No. 2815—
Fixing the compensation of railroad companies for the transportation of the United States mails.
Introduced by Mr. Stone, of Missouri 1912
Referred to the Committee on the Post-Office and Post-Roads 1912

H. R. No. 2816—
To reduce the expense of collecting customs.
Reported by Mr. Dibrell, of Tennessee, from the Committee on Public Expenditures, as a substitute for House bill No. 1905, and recommitted 1913, 1914
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H. R. No. 2817—
To regulate the pay and allowances of Army officers.
Reported by Mr. Banning, of Ohio, from the Committee on Military Affairs, as a substitute for House bill No. 1806 1916
Considered and passed by the House 2038–2042
Referred to the Senate Committee on Military Affairs 2099

H. R. No. 2818—
For the relief of settlers upon reserved Government sections of the public lands within railroad limits.
Introduced by Mr. Phillips, of Kansas 1928
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands 1928

H. R. No. 2819—
For the relief of Jacob Thierer.
Introduced by Mr. Phillips, of Kansas 1928
Referred to the Committee of Claims 1928

H. R. No. 2820—
To amend an act to promote the development of the mining resources of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Baker, of Indiana 1929
Referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining 1929

H. R. No. 2821—
To supply a deficiency in the appropriation for the manufacture of postal cards for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1876.
Reported by Mr. Blount, of Georgia, from the Committee on Appropriations 1946
Considered and passed by the House 1946
Referred to the Senate Committee on Appropriations 1945
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H. R. No. 2822—
Repealing section 363 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, and substituting another section in lieu thereof.
Reported by Mr. Durham, of Kentucky, from the Committee on Expenditures in the Department of Justice, and recommitted 1946
Reported back, considered, and passed by House 2192
Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary 2253

H. R. No. 2823—
To provide a government for the Indian Territory.
Reported by Mr. Wilshire, of Arkansas, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, as a substitute for House bill No. 1923 1946
Considered and recommitted to the Committee on Indian Affairs 1946–1948

H. R. No. 2824—
To change the name of the steamboat Paragon, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
Introduced by Mr. Cochrane, of Pennsylvania 1949
Referred to the Committee on Commerce 1949
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H. R. No. 2825—
To correct errors and supply omission in the Revised Statutes of the United States.
Reported by Mr. Robinson, of Indiana, from the Committee on the Revision of the Laws, and recommitted 1949

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To refund and remit certain duties to Peter Wright & Sons.
Reported by Mr. Burchard, of Illinois, from the Committee of Ways and Means 1949
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H. R. No. 2827—
For the relief of Stephen Hull.
Reported by Mr. J. H. Bagley, jr., of New York, from the Committee on Patents 1949
Considered and passed by the House 1949
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H. R. No. 2828—
To amend the act entitled "An act amending the charter of the Freedman's Savings and Trust Company, and for other purposes," approved June 20, 1874.
Reported by Mr. Douglas, of West Virginia, from the Select Committee on the Freedman's Bank, as a substitute for Senate bill No. 141, and recommitted 1949
Reported back, and considered 2482, 2700-2708
H. R. No. 2829—
For the relief of Ariel K. Eaton and James D. Jenkins.
Reported by Mr. Pratt, of Iowa, from the Committee of Claims, as a substitute for House bill No. 988 1950
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Introduced by Mr. Blair, of New Hampshire 1981
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Introduced by Mr. Hendee, of Vermont..... 1981
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Introduced by Mr. Banks, of Massachusetts..... 1981
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Introduced by Mr. Williams, of New York 1982
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To amend the pension laws as to the manner of proof of marriage by the widows of deceased soldiers and sailors.
Introduced by Mr. Williams, of New York..... 1982
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Introduced by Mr. Maish, of Pennsylvania..... 1982
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H. R. No. 2877—
To provide for the purchase of a lot of ground and for the erection thereon of a building suitable for a post-office and internal-revenue office in the city of Lancaster, Pennsylvania.
Introduced by Mr. Smith, of Pennsylvania 1982
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Introduced by Mr. Walsh, of Maryland 1982
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Introduced by Mr. Walsh, of Maryland 1982
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H. R. No. 2880—
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Introduced by Mr. Henkle, of Maryland 1982
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H. R. No. 2881—
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Introduced by Mr. O'Brien, of Maryland 1982
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Introduced by Mr. O'Brien, of Maryland 1982
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Introduced by Mr. Hunton, of Virginia 1982
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Introduced by Mr. Hunton, of Virginia 1982
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H. R. No. 2888—
To limit the present power of the United States commissioners in issuing warrants of arrest against citizens of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Vance, of North Carolina 1982
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary 1982

H. R. No. 2889—
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Introduced by Mr. Harris, of Georgia 1982
Referred to the Committee on Commerce 1982

H. R. No. 2890—
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Introduced by Mr. Money, of Mississippi 1982
Referred to the Committee on Commerce 1982

H. R. No. 2891—
For the relief of Eliza T. Fout.
Introduced by Mr. Vance, of Ohio 1982
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs 1982

H. R. No. 2892—
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Introduced by Mr. Southard, of Ohio 1982
Referred to the Committee on Revolutionary Pensions 1982

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Introduced by Mr. Woodworth, of Ohio 1983
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Introduced by Mr. Jones, of Kentucky 1983
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H. R. No. 2896—
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Introduced by Mr. White, of Kentucky 1983
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H. R. No. 2897—
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Introduced by Mr. Hunter, of Indiana 1983
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Introduced by Mr. Landers, of Indiana 1983
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H. R. No. 2901—
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Introduced by Mr. Sparks, of Illinois 1983
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs 1983

H. R. No. 2902—
To grant bounty lands to soldiers who served in the late war to suppress the rebellion, and to the widows and children of such of them as are dead.
Introduced by Mr. Burchard, of Illinois 1983
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H. R. No. 2903—
For the relief of James H. Linn, late acting first assistant engineer in charge of the Mississippi squadron of the United States Navy.
Introduced by Mr. Hartzell, of Illinois 1983
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs 1983

H. R. No. 2904—
For the relief of Joseph Kinney, administrator of David Ballentine, for the burning and destroying of furniture by order of General Lyon.
Introduced by Mr. Clark, of Missouri 1983
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H. R. No. 2905—
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H. R. No. 2907—
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Introduced by Mr. Hancock, of Texas 1983
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H. R. No. 2908—
Authorizing the Commissioner of Internal Revenue to refund taxes collected on salaries of State officers.
Introduced by Mr. Hancock, of Texas 1983
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Introduced by Mr. Schleicher, of Texas 1983
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H. R. No. 2911—
Donating certain condemned cannon to the soldiers' monument at Muscatine, Iowa.
Introduced by Mr. Tufts, of Iowa 1983
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs 1983

H. R. No. 2912—
For the relief of John Q. Williams, sole heir of Mary Ann Williams and Thomas Williams, deceased, and sole heir of Eleazer Williams, deceased.
Introduced by Mr. Cate, of Wisconsin 1983
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H. R. No. 2913—
Making compensation to Mrs. Joseph S. Wilson, widow of Joseph S. Wilson, for collecting the scientific museum at the General Land Office.
Introduced by Mr. Luttrell, of California 1983
Referred to the Committee of Claims 1983

H. R. No. 2914—
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Introduced by Mr. Strait, of Minnesota 1983
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H. R. No. 2915—
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Introduced by Mr. Strait, of Minnesota 1983
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Introduced by Mr. Crounse, of Nebraska 1983
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Introduced by Mr. Patterson, of Colorado 1983
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H. R. No. 2918—
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Introduced by Mr. Patterson, of Colorado 1983
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H. R. No. 2919—
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Introduced by Mr. Kidder, of Dakota 1984
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Introduced by Mr. Bennett, of Idaho 1984
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Introduced by Mr. Steele, of Wyoming 1984
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H. R. No. 2922—
To authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to make allowances for compensation to collectors of internal revenue who went out of office prior to February 8, 1875, upon final settlements of their accounts.
Introduced by Mr. Wallace, of South Carolina 1984
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Introduced by Mr. Hubbell, of Michigan 1984
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Introduced by Mr. Hubbell, of Michigan 1984
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H. R. No. 2925—
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Introduced by Mr. Southard, of Ohio 1984
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Introduced by Mr. Garfield, of Ohio 1984
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Introduced by Mr. Conger, of Michigan 1985
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Introduced by Mr. Stone, of Missouri 2007
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To provide for cheap transporation of freight between tidewater on or near the Atlantic Ocean and the Ohio and Mississippi Valleys.
Reported by Mr. Jones, of Kentucky, from the Committee on Railways and Canals, as a substitute for House bill No. 1490, and recommitted 2007
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Introduced by Mr. Hoar, of Massachusetts 2008
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H. R. No. 2932—
To place on the pension-roll the name of Mrs. Fannie Van Ness.
Introduced by Mr. Baker, of New York 2008
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H. R. No. 2933—
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Introduced by Mr. Crounse, of Nebraska 2077
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Submitted by Mr. Hardenbergh, of New Jersey 401
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Reported by Mr. Singleton, of Mississippi, from the Committee on Printing, and adopted 619
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Submitted by Mr. Hoar, of Massachusetts, and referred to the Joint Committee on Printing 694
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Submitted by Mr. Barnum, of Connecticut 1487
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Submitted by Mr. Caldwell, of Alabama 1484
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Reported by Mr. Vance, of Ohio, from the Committee on Printing, and adopted by the House 1622
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Submitted by Mr. Hoar, of Massachusetts 1811
Referred to the Committee on Printing 1811

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Reported by Mr. Vance, of Ohio, from the Committee on Printing, and adopted by the House 2037
Referred to the Senate Committee on Printing 2099
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A concurrent resolution—
That there be printed for distribution 1,000 extra copies of the report of the Superintendent of the Coast Survey for the year ending June 30, 1874, and the same number of copies of his report for the year ending June 30, 1875.
Reported by Mr. Ward, of New York, from the Committee on Commerce and referred to the Committee on Printing 2968
Considered and adopted by the House 5536
Referred to the Senate Committee on Printing 5558
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A concurrent resolution—
That the two Houses of Congress accept the invitation of the Centennial Commission to attend the ceremonies to be observed at the opening of the international exhibition of 1876, on the 10th instant, at Philadelphia.
Reported by Mr. Hopkins, of Pennsylvania, from the Select Committee on the Centennial Exhibition 2998
Considered and adopted by the House 2998
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A concurrent resolution—
Concerning the restricting of the immigration of Chinese into the United States.
Submitted by Mr. Page, of California 3087
Referred to the Committee on Commerce 3087

A concurrent resolution—
That the thanks of this Congress be presented to the governor, and through him to the people of the State of Vermont, for the statute of Ethan Allen, whose name is so honorably identified with our revolutionary history.
Submitted by Mr. Hendee, of Vermont 3178
Considered and adopted by the House 3178–3183
Considered and concurred in by the Senate 3738–3741

A concurrent resolution—
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Submitted by Mr. Monroe, of Ohio 3340
Referred to the Committee on Printing 3340

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A concurrent resolution—
That the conference committee on House bill No. 3411 for the repavement of Pennsylvania avenue be authorized to correct their report.
Submitted by Mr. Hendee, of Vermont 4516
Considered and adopted by the House 4516
Considered and concurred in by the Senate 4565

A concurrent resolution—
That the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate be, and they are hereby, directed to adjourn their respective Houses *sine die* on the 25th of July, 1876, at twelve o'clock meridan.
Submitted by Mr. Mackey, of Pennsylvania 4549
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means 4549

A concurrent resolution—
That the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives be, and they are hereby, directed to adjourn their respective Houses without day on Monday, August 7, 1876, at twelve o'clock noon.
Reported by Mr. Morrison, of Illinois, from the Committee of Ways and Means 5136
Considered and adopted by the House 5136
Referred to the Senate Committee on Appropriations 5137, 5138

A concurrent resolution—
That the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills of the two Houses be authorized to correct an error in the bill (H. R. No. 3963) by inserting the word "not" on the second page of the enrolled bill next to the last line, between the words "shall" and "be;" so that the same shall read, "there shall not be a contractor," &c.
Submitted by Mr. Clark, of Missouri 5136
Considered and adopted by the House 5136
Considered and concurred in by the Senate 5137

A concurrent resolution—
For the appointment of a joint commission to consider the monetary system.
Reported by Mr. Cox, of New York, from the Committee on Banking and Currency 5218, 5232
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Submitted by Mr. Townsend, of Pennsylvania 5373
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations 5373

A concurrent resolution—
That the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives be, and they are hereby, directed to adjourn their respective Houses without day on Monday next, August 14, 1876, at four o'clock p. m.
Submitted by Mr. Morrison, of Illinois 5479
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A concurrent resolution—
That the sixteenth and seventeenth joint rules be suspended for the remainder of the session.
Submitted by Mr. Randall, of Pennsylvania 5552
Considered and adopted by the House 5552
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A concurrent resolution—
That there be paid out of the contingent fund of the respective Houses the usual per diem allowance to clerks of committees not having a yearly salary, for the period of thirty-one days from the 1st day of August, 1876.
Reported by Mr. Roberts, of Maryland, from the Committee of Accounts 5689
Considered and adopted by the House 5689

A concurrent resolution—
In reference to the commission to prepare a form of government for the District of Columbia.
Submitted by Mr. Randall, of Pennsylvania 5691
Considered and adopted by the House 5691

A concurrent resolution—
To correct an error in the enrollment of the bill making appropriations for the legislative, executive, and judicial expenses of the Government for the year ending June 30, 1877.
Submitted by Mr. Randall, of Pennsylvania, and adopted by the House 5692